

Tumbao (pronounced- Toom-bau)

Practice by yourself, then with others, all parts to the tumbao. Switch with one another. You can also try the variation at the bottom.

Be sure to repeat the entire thing as many times as you can.

	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
Rhythm 1																
Songo																
Rhythm 2																
Clave																
Variation to Rhythm 1																
	W	W	S	W	W	W	S	S	W	W	S	S	S	W	S	S

Explanation of symbols

- Bass
- Clave Rhythm
- Heel/Toe
- Open tone on different drum
- Open
- w- weak hand
- Slap
- s- strong hand